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Please be advised that on behalf of myself and the Shelton Fire Marshal's Office we strongly support the approval of House Bill #6494 An Act Establishing A Complaint Procedure For Property Owners When Blasting Causes Damage. As you may already know Shelton has had our share of blasting issues and a complaint procedure for citizens will be of great help to Fire marshal's when dealing with blasting complaints. I also strongly support the approval of amending the current blasting regulations to meet current technologies associated with blasting techniques.

I would also like to acknowledge my support of approval of House Bill #677 An Act Requiring The installation Of Automatic Fire Extinguishing In New Residential Buildings. The installation of a fire sprinkler system accompanied with the installation of smoke detectors will offer the best life saving protection from fire for our citizens.

I strongly urge your support of these two bills. Thank you!!!

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